

FORM PTO-1390 (Modified) U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 292752US0PCT
		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) <b>10/583558</b>
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/JP04/13201	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE September 10, 2004	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED December 18, 2003
TITLE OF INVENTION <b>BOTTLED BEVERAGE</b>		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US <b>Masaki IWASAKI, et al.</b>		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
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Respectfully submitted,

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